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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of : **Confirmation No. 2935**  
Masahiro UEKAWA : Docket No. 2004\_0308A  
Serial No. 10/786,024 : Group Art Unit 2883  
Filed February 26, 2004 : Examiner Charlie Yu Peng

SUBASSEMBLY AND OPTICAL MODULE

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**RESPONSE TO SPECIES ELECTION REQUIREMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

THE COMMISSIONER IS AUTHORIZED  
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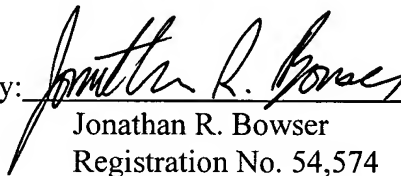
Sir:

In response to the species election requirement contained in the Office Action dated August 24, 2005, the Applicant hereby elects **Species D**. Claims 26-37 read on the elected species.

Having made the required election, a full examination on the merits of the elected species is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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